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Bangalore,
8th July 1956.

My dear Shri Viswanathan,

I am grateful to you for your letter No.D.O.No.PA/JS(A)/56 dated 19th June 1956.

It is very nice of you to have taken all the trouble in my behalf. I am very much interested, as you know, in the advancement of the cultural interests of India abroad. I am afraid, however, that an ad hoc assignment, as for instance a membership of a delegation to U.N.O., will not be in keeping with my ideas.

In any event, in the present state of affairs, and particularly having regard to the developments in connection with the inpending reorganisation of the Mysore State, I feel that I should not be away from the State. I would, therefore, suggest that you need not proceed with your suggestion. The question can be considered, if necessary, when a clearer picture is available.

With kind regards,